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FM AMEMBASSY ADDIS ABABA

TO SECSTATE WASHDC PRIORITY 6535

INFO AMCONSUL ASMARA

AMEMBASSY BEIRUT

AMEMBASSY CAIRO

AMEMBASSY DAMASCUS

AMEMBASSY JIDDA

AMEMBASSY KHARTOUM

AMEMBASSY KUWAIT

AMEMBASSY SANA

USMISSION GENEVA

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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: KAGNEW FOUR: AP STORY

REF: STATE 233738

EMBASSY AFTER APPROPRIATE INQUIRES HAS NOT DISCOVERED ANY
EMBOFF WHO TALKED TO ASSOCIATED PRESS OR ANY OTHER NEWSMEN
ALONG LINES ATTRIBUTED TO U.S. EMBASSY IN REFTEL. FACT OF
"INTENSIVE, DISCREET DIPLOMACY IN ME CAPITALS" (NOT ATTRIBUTED
TO EMBASSY IN AP STORY) HAS BEEN HELD TO EXTREMELY SMALL NUBER
OF EMBOFFS, AND WE ARE SATISFIED IT HAS BEEN MENTIONED TO NO-ONE
OUTSIDE THAT SMALL GROUP. IN ACCORDANCE WITH DEPT'S INSTRUCTIONS
IT ALSO NOT RPT NOT CONVEYED TO EPMG. OTHER ELEMENTS IN STORY ARE
LESS SENSITIVE AND COULD HAVE BEEN BASED ON SPECULATION BY
UNINFORMED. WE HAVE TAKEN APPROPRIATE STEPS TO ASSURE THAT
ALL CONCERNED ARE AWARE OF DANGERS AND CONSEQUENCES OF ANY LOOSE

TALK.

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